COLORADO SPRINGS GAZETTE
AND EL PASO COUNTY NEWS.
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THE LOCAL PAPER.—You owe it to yourselves to rally liberally to its support, and exact from it as able, high toned a character as you would do from any educator in your midst. It is in no sense beneath notice and care for this your representative. Indeed, in its character, it is the summation of the importance, interest and welfare of you all. It is the aggregate of your own consequence, and you cannot ignore it without miserably depreciating yourselves.—*New York Times.*

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CITIZENS' MEETING

[illegible]

MANY CITIZENS

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

FROM SILVERTON.

By an Occasional Correspondent.

Silverton, situated in Baker's Park, is in the heart of the San Juan country and is the capital of La Plata County.

Baker's Park takes its names from the leader of a party of pioneers and prospectors who made their way into this section of country as early as 1860. Unlike those who are coming now, they were in search of gold, but at that time lode mining was not thought of in Colorado, only placer gold was sought for; and thus Baker's party, though they found their way into a district whose mountains are seamed through and through with the precious metals, — failed to discover a mineral vein, and gave up in disgust and returned to Old Mexico, leaving the remains of the stampede of his followers, needless to tell, as they are well known to all Colorado old timers.

No further explorations of this section were made until 18[illegible], when some prospectors began to search for the lost ledge, but since that time there has been a steady influx of seekers after wealth.

[illegible] the story of the discovery of the precious metals in this section, shown nearly [illegible] in La Plata County, two men [illegible] have alternately been credited with the discovery, the country being then in a state of nature, the country [illegible] mining to be prospected, [illegible] not thought of searching for mineral every [illegible] have been taken, [illegible] seen seeking [illegible] the discoveries. Like [illegible] person passing over [illegible] make them [illegible] show to me!

[illegible] mineral wealth [illegible] agricultural [illegible] [illegible] Colorado [illegible] [illegible] mining [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

ROUND ABOUT THE TERRITORY.

The Arapahoe County jail contains sixty prisoners.

Ducks are plentiful in the streams about Trinidad.

A Board of Trade has been organized at Longmont.

A newspaper is talked of at Rosita, Fremont County.

A baker is wanted in Fort Collins.

Grass is getting green in West Mountain Valley.

The People's National Bank of Pueblo has surrendered its charter.

About $1600 has been subscribed for a new Episcopal church to be erected in Longmont this Summer.

The silk factories of Fremont County are erecting gate boards at the entrances of their roads.

Jefferson County silver is now worth ninety cents for each ounce in the bullion. One year ago they were worth twenty-five cents.

The Baker's Park Road from Denver has been extended to Silverton, the County Seat of La Plata County.

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